

NOT GHOSTS, ONLY A REAL BOYS' CLUB

Bronx Detectives Heard
Strange Noises in the Air
Near Headquarters.

Residents in the neighborhood of the Bronx Detective Bureau are firmly convinced that there are lankies and ghosts flying by night about their ears. They can hear 'em, especially when they pass along the block bounded by Washington and Brook avenues and One Hundred and Sixty-second street, the location of the bureau. Strange laughter, salty quips, shrill repartee float on the quiet night air to the ears of somnolent desk Sergeant and staid citizen. They listen attentively, but the elish mirth floats cunningly away, apparently far up in the heavens. By day the noises are not heard; they fly by night only.

It remained for a curious Evening World reporter to go after the truth out this baffling mystery. First he ascended to the roof of the Detective Bureau. Night had fallen and all was still. The air squeaked with a sudden shift of demonic laughter. It was very near at first, then it chuckled and rose in the air to vanish in a rift between two stars. Somebody said, sharply, "Get off me foot!" not ten feet away. The sound came from the rear of the building. Peering over the edge revealed nothing but a vast mass of gloom stretching smoke-like in the yawning, fifty-foot hole that does duty for the bureau's back yard.

More Voices.
Again a voice: "Sit down, yet out of order!" It came from thin space, directly out in the void overhanging the pit. Sound travels upward. The searcher after truth descended. The pit yawned. A mission meant a fall to the rocks forty feet below. More voices, laughter, shriller than ever. More exclaiming till he was in flight of steps, out rudely in the yellow glow. In a descent and lot a thing of haystack shape, looming ghoul-like, and then: "Sit down, you damn railroad!" in a voice familiar and clear. Rappan on a barred door, opened and the door opened and faces stared questioning.

"Oh, it's you from the zoological garden," said the Lookout, whose duty is to watch the door. The boys are all very much in ear. "Shorty" Wait Lawrence, sometimes of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street. A lamp is again lighted and the searcher admitted to the sacred precincts of the "Don't But-In," otherwise the "Don't But-In" Club, made up of twenty-five of the youth of the neighborhood and organized for literary, political and social purposes, as the charter reads.

Fear the Police Wagon.

"I suppose it's the police wagon now. You've found the place," remarks "Shorty" Wait Lawrence. "We had a shack here for three weeks right under the noses of the cops. They don't fire us. We wanted to have a place where we could have a hangout and a society like the real ones. We wanted to have a political club and argue things. Then it's nice to come to after school and after supper. We don't let every scab in that wants to join. His name is proposed and then a regular committee looks him up. We've got officers and everything regular, just like one of the real clubs. We have business meetings every Monday and Friday night. We are going to get Louis Haffen in the thing if we can, and a lot of other political men. We are going to keep this thing up and when we get big enough we are not going to have a real political and social club."

The little club is about ten feet square and high. It is light up against the rear of the Detective Bureau. Waiter has escaped notice for three weeks, or perhaps the police have winked at him. The interior is tastefully decorated with pictures and maps of the Bronx. A library has been started and is so far made up of histories and a few novels.

The Club's Officers.
Walter Lawrence is the President; Daniel Bourke, No. 763 East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, Vice-President; Clem Goldstein, No. 757 East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, Secretary; George Seaman, No. 759 East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, Treasurer; Samuel Goldstein, No. 757 East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, Sergeant-at-Arms; Dutch Pfeiffer, Assistant; Henry Reitz, No. 763 East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, Janitor. William Fausto, No.

BOYS' HIDDEN "CLUB HOUSE."



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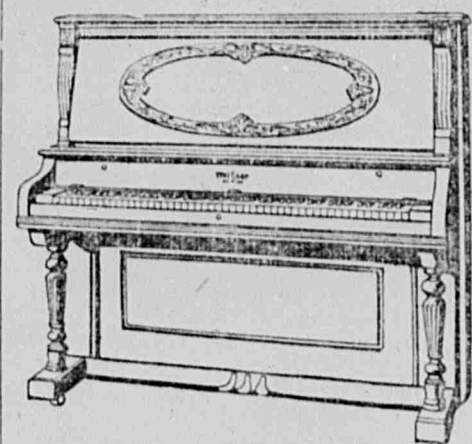
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(Siegel Cooper Store, Second Floor, Centre.)

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